

Please re-write claims 2 - 13 as follows:

2. A rotary shelf assembly mechanism having a post height adjustment device, a novel shelf construction and shelf retaining element for securing the shelves to the post comprising: first and second mounting brackets spaced apart from and opposing each other; a first post having first and second ends disposed between the first and second mounting brackets supporting at least one shelf; a first bearing element mounted on the first post first end engaging the first mounting bracket for rotation about the axis of the first post; a second post having first and second ends telescopically received within the second end of the first post and having an elongated recess extending longitudinally parallel to the axis of the second post, the first post having an aperture therein; a casting positioned within the first post having a recess fitting portion and a threaded recess extending into the elongated recess of the second post; and a mating element extending through the aperture of the first post, the elongated recess of the second post and into the casting threaded recess to secure the second post with the first post and insure connected post rotation.

3. The mechanism as claimed in claim 2 wherein the first post has brad receiving apertures and the casting has bradable extensions receivable within the first post apertures to secure the casting to the first post and further secure the first post to the second post.

Sub 4. A rotary shelf assembly mechanism having a post height adjustment device and a novel shelf construction and shelf retaining element for securing the shelves to the post comprising: first and second mounting brackets spaced apart from and opposing each other; a post assembly disposed between the first and second mounting brackets supporting at least one single piece shelf and having pin-receiving apertures at the location of each supported shelf, each of the at least one single piece shelves having an integral post-securing section including a hub and pin-receiving indents within the hub; and pin means extending through the post pin-receiving apertures and cooperatively received by the integral post securing section indents to secure the at least one shelf to the post assembly.

5. The mechanism as claimed in claim 4 wherein the pin means is a cylindrically formed segment of flat metallic material.

6. The mechanism as claimed in claim 4 wherein the post assembly is disposed between first and second mounting brackets and includes a first post having first and second ends and a second post having first and second ends and sized to be telescopically received within the second end of the first post and having an elongated recess extending longitudinally parallel to the axis of the second post, the first post having an aperture; a mating element extending through the first post aperture and into the second post elongated recess to secure the second post with the first post to join the posts and insure connected post rotation.

7. The mechanism as claimed in claim 6 wherein the pin means is a cylindrically formed segment of flat metallic material.

8. The mechanism as claimed in claim 4 wherein the post assembly includes first and second posts, the first post having an aperture, the second post having an elongated recess; and a mating element extending through the first post aperture and into the second post elongated recess to secure the second post with the first post to join the posts and insure connected post rotation.

9. The mechanism as claimed in claim 5 wherein the post assembly includes first and second posts, the first post having an aperture, the second post having an elongated recess, and a mating element extending through the first post aperture and into the second post elongated recess to secure the second post to the first post and thereby join the posts to insure connected post rotation.

10. The mechanism as claimed in claim 6 wherein the post assembly includes first and second posts, the first post having an aperture, the second post having an elongated recess, and a mating element extending through the first post aperture and into the second elongated recess to secure the second post with the first post to join the posts and insure connected post rotation.

11. The mechanism as claimed in claim 4 wherein each of the single piece shelves is formed with a hub having a post-receiving opening and a

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rectangularly shaped recess communicating with the opening, the post assembly having diametrically aligned apertures at each shelf position, and the shelf and post securing means for each shelf is a pin cooperatively received by the shelf hub rectangularly shaped recess and the post diametrically aligned apertures to secure the shelf to the post.

12. The mechanism as claimed in claim 11 wherein the pin is a cylindrically formed segment of flat metallic material.

13. The mechanism as claimed in claim 12 wherein the post assembly is disposed between first and second mounting brackets and includes first and second posts, the first post having an aperture and the second post having an elongated recess; and a mating element extending through the first post aperture and into the second post elongated recess to secure the second post with the first post to join the posts and insure connected post rotation.